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[redacted] Talked with Robert E. Lee, Fred Dutton's Deputy at State, indicating that the staffs of both Senate Foreign Relations and House Foreign Affairs had approached us on the Powers matter. Senator Sparkman, as Acting Chairman of Senate Foreign Relations, had written a letter to the Department on the subject. I explained to Lee that, of course, we had obligations to our Subcommittees and that we should certainly coordinate any efforts in this matter. I advised him also that in connection with an eventual conference confrontation, Charles Bohlen had indicated he wanted to talk personally with Powers before the event.

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[redacted] John Newhouse, Senate Foreign Relations staff, called indicating a [redacted] had been in to see him hoping somehow to get the Agency off his back. I indicated the case was known to me and I would pull the file and be in touch with him some time next week.

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In addition, Newhouse asked if we could get an article from the Crist and Walt of the last two or three weeks offered by Mr. Schmickler described as the Arthur Sylvester of the German Defense Department.

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[redacted] is looking into this for me.

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[redacted] Steve Moran, in the office of Senator George A. Smathers, called to say that a man by the name of [redacted] was in his office and [redacted] had just come out of Cuba on 6 February. Moran said he thought our people would be interested in talking with him and I made arrangements for him to see [redacted]

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[redacted] Sam Scott, on the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, called to say Jay Searwine desired any information we might have on [redacted]

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